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File: USPT

Jun 29, 1999

US-PAT-NO: 5916787

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5916787 A

TITLE: Ethanol production in gram-positive microbes

DATE-ISSUED: June 29, 1999

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Ingram; Lonnie O'Neal	Gainesville	FL		
Barbosa-Alleyne; Maria D. F.	Gainesville	FL		

US-CL-CURRENT: 435/161; 257/E21.317, 435/162, 435/163, 435/165, 435/252.31, 435/320.1

CLAIMS:

We claim:

1. A Gram-positive bacterium which has been transformed with heterologous genes encoding alcohol dehydrogenase and pyruvate decarboxylase wherein said genes are expressed at sufficient levels to confer upon said Gram-positive bacterium transformant the ability to produce ethanol as a fermentation product.
2. The Gram-positive bacterium, according to claim 1, wherein said host is selected from the group consisting of Bacillus, Lactobacillus, Streptococcus, Fibribacter, Ruminococcus, Pediococcus, Cytophaga, Cellulomonas, Bacteroides, and Clostridium.
3. The Gram-positive bacterium according to claim 2, wherein said host is a Bacillus sp.
4. The Gram-positive bacterium, according to claim 3, wherein said Bacillus sp. is selected from the group consisting of B. subtilis and B. polymyxa.
5. The Gram-positive bacterium, according to claim 1, which has been transformed with Z. mobilis genes encoding alcohol dehydrogenase and pyruvate decarboxylase.
6. The Gram-positive bacterium according to claim 1, wherein said bacterium is further transformed with a gene encoding an enzyme which degrades oligosaccharides.
7. The Gram-positive bacterium, according to claim 6, wherein said enzyme which degrades oligosaccharides is a polysaccharase.
8. The Gram-positive bacterium according to claim 7, wherein said polysaccharase is selected from the group consisting of cellulolytic, xylanolytic, and starch-degrading enzymes.
9. The Gram-positive bacterium, according to claim 1, wherein said heterologous genes are incorporated onto the chromosome of said bacterium.

10. A method for the production of ethanol, said method comprising transforming a Gram-positive bacterial host with heterologous genes encoding pyruvate decarboxylase and alcohol dehydrogenase wherein said genes are expressed at sufficient levels to result in the production of ethanol as a fermentation product.
11. The method, according to claim 10, wherein said host is selected from the group consisting of *Bacillus*, *Lactobacillus*, *Streptococcus*, *Fibribacter*, *Ruminococcus*, *Pediococcus*, *Cytophaga*, *Cellulomonas*, *Bacteroides*, and *Clostridium*.
12. The method, according to claim 11, wherein said host is a *Bacillus* sp.
13. The method, according to claim 12, wherein said *Bacillus* sp. is selected from the group consisting of *B. subtilis* and *B. polymyxa*.
14. The method, according to claim 10, wherein said Gram-positive bacterium has been transformed with *Z. mobilis* genes encoding alcohol dehydrogenase and pyruvate decarboxylase.
15. The method, according to claim 10, wherein said bacterium is further transformed with a gene encoding an enzyme which degrades oligosaccharides.
16. The method, according to claim 15, wherein said enzyme which degrades oligosaccharides is a polysaccharase.
17. A method for reducing the accumulation of acidic metabolic products in the growth medium of Gram-positive bacteria, said method comprising transforming said bacteria with heterologous genes which express alcohol dehydrogenase and pyruvate decarboxylase at sufficient levels to result in the production of ethanol as a fermentation product.
18. A plasmid designated pLOI1500.

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Mar 19, 1991

US-PAT-NO: 5000000

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5000000 A

TITLE: Ethanol production by Escherichia coli strains co-expressing Zymomonas PDC and ADH genes

DATE-ISSUED: March 19, 1991

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Ingram; Lonnie O.	Gainesville	FL		
Conway; Tyrrell	Lincoln	NE		
Alterthum; Flavio	Gainesville	FL		

US-CL-CURRENT: 435/161; 257/E21.317, 435/170, 435/252.3, 435/252.33, 435/320.1, 435/488

CLAIMS:

We claim:

1. An Escherichia coli, which has been transformed with Zymomonas mobilis genes coding for alcohol dehydrogenase and pyruvate decarboxylase wherein said genes are expressed at sufficient levels to confer upon said Escherichia coli transformant the ability to produce ethanol as a fermentation product.
2. The Escherichia coli, according to claim 1, wherein the Escherichia coli, prior to transformation, is selected from the group consisting of ATCC 8677, ATCC 8739, ATCC 9637, ATCC 11303, ATCC 11775, ATCC 14948, ATCC 15224, and ATCC 23227.
3. The Escherichia coli, according to claim 1, wherein said Escherichia coli has been transformed with a plasmid selected from the group consisting of pLOI308-10, pLOI297, and pLOI308-11.
4. The Escherichia coli, according to claim 3, wherein said Escherichia coli has been transformed with pLOI297.
5. A method for the production of ethanol, said method comprising transforming an Escherichia coli with Zymomonas mobilis genes coding for pyruvate decarboxylase and alcohol dehydrogenase wherein said genes are expressed by the transformed Escherichia coli at sufficient levels to result in the production of ethanol as a fermentation product when said Escherichia coli is grown in an appropriate medium.
6. The method, according to claim 5, wherein said Escherichia coli is transformed with a plasmid selected from the group consisting of pLOI308-10, pLOI297, and pLOI308-11.
7. The method, according to claim 6, wherein said Escherichia coli has been transformed with pLOI297.

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File: USPT

Dec 25, 2001

US-PAT-NO: 6333181

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6333181 B1

TITLE: Ethanol production from lignocellulose

DATE-ISSUED: December 25, 2001

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Ingram; Lonnie O.	Gainesville	FL		
Wood; Brent E.	Gainesville	FL		

US-CL-CURRENT: 435/165; 435/163, 435/170, 435/173.2, 435/173.8, 435/277, 435/278, 435/72, 435/99

CLAIMS:

What is claimed is:

1. A method for producing ethanol from lignocellulose comprising discontinuously treating an aqueous mixture containing lignocellulose, a cellulase and an ethanologenic microorganism with ultrasound under conditions sufficient for hydrolysis of said lignocellulose to occur, to thereby produce ethanol.
2. The method according to claim 1 wherein said cellulase is provided by a cellulase-producing microorganism in said aqueous mixture.
3. The method according to claim 1 wherein said aqueous mixture is treated with ultrasound at a frequency of between about 2 and 200 kHz.
4. The method according to claim 1 wherein said ethanologenic microorganism is an ethanologenic bacteria or yeast.
5. The method according to claim 4 wherein said ethanologenic microorganism is a bacteria or yeast which expresses one or more enzymes which, individually or together, convert a sugar to ethanol.
6. The method according to claim 4 wherein said ethanologenic microorganism expresses enzymes which, individually or together, convert pentose and hexose to ethanol.
7. The method according to claim 4 wherein said ethanologenic microorganism expresses alcohol dehydrogenase and pyruvate decarboxylase.
8. The method according to claim 7 wherein said alcohol dehydrogenase and pyruvate decarboxylase are from *Zymomonas mobilis*.
9. The method according to claim 4 wherein said ethanologenic microorganism expresses xylose isomerase, xylulokinase, transaldolase, and transketolase.
10. The method according to claim 9 wherein said xylose isomerase, xylulokinase, transaldolase, and transketolase are from *Escherichia coli*.

11. The method according to claim 9 wherein said xylose isomerase, xylulokinase, transaldolase, and transketolase are from *Klebsiella oxytoca*.
12. The method according to claim 9 wherein said xylose isomerase, xylulokinase, transaldolase, and transketolase are from *Erwinia* species.
13. The method according to claim 4 wherein said ethanologenic microorganism expresses alcohol dehydrogenase, pyruvate decarboxylase, xylose isomerase, xylulokinase, transaldolase, and transketolase.
14. The method according to claim 13 wherein said ethanologenic microorganism is a recombinant microorganism expressing *Zymomonas mobilis* alcohol dehydrogenase and pyruvate decarboxylase wherein said microorganism is selected from the group consisting of *Escherichia coli*, *Klebsiella oxytoca*, and *Erwinia* species.
15. The method according to claim 14 wherein said ethanologenic microorganism is *Klebsiella oxytoca* P2.
16. The method according to claim 14, wherein said ethanologenic microorganism is *Escherichia coli* KO11.

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File: USPT

Dec 25, 2001

US-PAT-NO: 6333181

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6333181 B1

TITLE: Ethanol production from lignocellulose

DATE-ISSUED: December 25, 2001

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Ingram; Lonnie O.	Gainesville	FL		
Wood; Brent E.	Gainesville	FL		

US-CL-CURRENT: 435/165; 435/163, 435/170, 435/173.2, 435/173.8, 435/277, 435/278,
435/72, 435/99

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☐ 2. Document ID: US 6280986 B1

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File: USPT

Aug 28, 2001

US-PAT-NO: 6280986

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6280986 B1

TITLE: Stabilization of pet operon plasmids and ethanol production in bacterial strains lacking lactate dehydrogenase and pyruvate formate lyase activities

DATE-ISSUED: August 28, 2001

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Hespell; Robert B.	late of Peoria	IL		
Wyckoff; Herbert A.	Roscoe	IL		
Dien; Bruce S.	Peoria	IL		
Bothast; Rodney J.	East Peoria	IL		

US-CL-CURRENT: 435/161; 435/252.3, 435/252.33, 435/320.1

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☐ 3. Document ID: US 6130076 A

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File: USPT

Oct 10, 2000

US-PAT-NO: 6130076

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6130076 A

TITLE: Ethanol production using a soy hydrolysate-based medium or a yeast autolysate-based medium

DATE-ISSUED: October 10, 2000

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Ingram; Lonnie O.	Gainesville	FL		

US-CL-CURRENT: 435/161

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☐ 4. Document ID: US 6102690 A

L2: Entry 4 of 6

File: USPT

Aug 15, 2000

US-PAT-NO: 6102690

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6102690 A

TITLE: Recombinant organisms capable of fermenting cellobiose

DATE-ISSUED: August 15, 2000

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Ingram; Lonnie O.	Gainesville	FL		
Lai; Xiaokuang	Gainesville	FL		
Moniruzzaman; Mohammed	Gainesville	FL		
York; Sean W.	Gainesville	FL		

US-CL-CURRENT: 431/161, 435/170, 435/189, 435/190, 435/194, 435/195, 435/252.3, 435/254.2, 435/320.1, 536/23.2

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☐ 5. Document ID: US 5916787 A

L2: Entry 5 of 6

File: USPT

Jun 29, 1999

US-PAT-NO: 5916787

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5916787 A

TITLE: Ethanol production in gram-positive microbes

DATE-ISSUED: June 29, 1999

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Ingram; Lonnie O'Neal	Gainesville	FL		
Barbosa-Alleyne; Maria D. F.	Gainesville	FL		

US-CL-CURRENT: [435/161](#); [257/E21.317](#), [435/162](#), [435/163](#), [435/165](#), [435/252.31](#), [435/320.1](#)

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☐ 6. Document ID: US 5482846 A

L2: Entry 6 of 6

File: USPT

Jan 9, 1996

US-PAT-NO: [5482846](#)

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US [5482846](#) A

TITLE: Ethanol production in Gram-positive microbes

DATE-ISSUED: January 9, 1996

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Ingram; Lonnie O'Neal	Gainesville	FL		
Barbosa-Alleyne; Maria D. F.	Gainesville	FL		

US-CL-CURRENT: [435/161](#); [257/E21.317](#), [435/163](#), [435/252.31](#)

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Jan 9, 1996

US-PAT-NO: 5482846

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5482846 A

TITLE: Ethanol production in Gram-positive microbes

DATE-ISSUED: January 9, 1996

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Ingram; Lonnie O'Neal	Gainesville	FL		
Barbosa-Alleyne; Maria D. F.	Gainesville	FL		

US-CL-CURRENT: 435/161; 257/E21.317, 435/163, 435/252.31

CLAIMS:

We claim:

1. A Gram-positive bacterium selected from the group consisting of *Bacillus subtilis* and *Bacillus polymyxa* which has been transformed with *Zymomonas mobilis* genes encoding alcohol dehydrogenase and pyruvate decarboxylase, wherein said genes are expressed at sufficient levels to confer upon said Gram-positive bacterium transformant the ability to produce ethanol as a fermentation product.

2. A method for the production of ethanol, said method comprising:

a) transforming a Gram-positive bacterial host selected from the group consisting of *Bacillus subtilis* and *Bacillus polymyxa* with *Zymomonas mobilis* genes encoding alcohol dehydrogenase and pyruvate decarboxylase, wherein said genes are expressed at sufficient levels to result in production of ethanol as a fermentation product, and

b) growing said bacterial host so that ethanol is produced.

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PGPUB-DOCUMENT-NUMBER: 20020034816
PGPUB-FILING-TYPE: new
DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 20020034816 A1

TITLE: Ethanol production

PUBLICATION-DATE: March 21, 2002

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	COUNTRY	RULE-47
Green, Edward	Surrey		GB	
Javed, Muhammad	Essex		GB	
Baghaei-Yazdi, Namdar	London		GB	

US-CL-CURRENT: 435/252.31; 435/485

Full	Title	Citation	Front	Review	Classification	Date	Reference	Sequences	Attachments	KWIC	Draw Desc
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☐ 12. Document ID: US 20010032342 A1

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File: PGPB

Oct 18, 2001

PGPUB-DOCUMENT-NUMBER: 20010032342
PGPUB-FILING-TYPE: new
DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 20010032342 A1

TITLE: Modified ribulose 1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase for improvement and optimization of plant phenotypes

PUBLICATION-DATE: October 18, 2001

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	COUNTRY	RULE-47
Stemmer, Willem P.C.	Los Gatos	CA	US	
Subramanian, Venkiteswaran	San Diego	CA	US	
Zhu, Genhai	Sunnyvale	CA	US	
Liu, Lu	Redwood City	CA	US	
Selifonov, Sergey A.	Los Altos	CA	US	

US-CL-CURRENT: 800/298; 435/440, 800/278

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File: USPT

Apr 1, 2003

US-PAT-NO: 6541621

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6541621 B1

TITLE: Hypoxia inducible promoter

DATE-ISSUED: April 1, 2003

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Hodges; Thomas K.	West Lafayette	IN		
Huq; Enamul	El Sobrante	CA		
Hossain; Anwar	Dhaka			BD

US-CL-CURRENT: 536/24.1; 435/320.1

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☐ 14. Document ID: US 6485947 B1

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File: USPT

Nov 26, 2002

US-PAT-NO: 6485947

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6485947 B1

TITLE: Production of lactate using crabtree negative organisms in varying culture conditions

DATE-ISSUED: November 26, 2002

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Rajgarhia; Vineet	Minnetonka	MN		
Hatzimanikatis; Vassily	Minneapolis	MN		
Olson; Stacey	Minneapolis	MN		
Carlson; Ting	Dayton	OH		
Starr; John N.	Chaska	MN		
Kolstad; Jeffrey J.	Wayzata	MN		
Eyal; Aharon	Jerusalem			IL

US-CL-CURRENT: 435/139

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☐ 15. Document ID: US 6333181 B1

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File: USPT

Dec 25, 2001

US-PAT-NO: 6333181

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6333181 B1

TITLE: Ethanol production from lignocellulose

DATE-ISSUED: December 25, 2001

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Ingram; Lonnie O.	Gainesville	FL		
Wood; Brent E.	Gainesville	FL		

US-CL-CURRENT: 435/165; 435/163, 435/170, 435/173.2, 435/173.8, 435/277, 435/278,
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☐ 16. Document ID: US 6306639 B1

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File: USPT

Oct 23, 2001

US-PAT-NO: 6306639

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6306639 B1

TITLE: Genetically modified cyanobacteria for the production of ethanol, the constructs and method thereof

DATE-ISSUED: October 23, 2001

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Woods; Robert Paul	Markham			CA
Coleman; John Robert	Markham			CA
Deng; Ming De	North York			CA

US-CL-CURRENT: 435/252.3; 536/23.1, 536/23.2, 536/24.1

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☐ 17. Document ID: US 6280986 B1

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File: USPT

Aug 28, 2001

US-PAT-NO: 6280986

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6280986 B1

TITLE: Stabilization of pet operon plasmids and ethanol production in bacterial strains lacking lactate dehydrogenase and pyruvate formate lyase activities

DATE-ISSUED: August 28, 2001

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
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Wyckoff; Herbert A.	Roscoe	IL		
Dien; Bruce S.	Peoria	IL		
Bothast; Rodney J.	East Peoria	IL		

US-CL-CURRENT: 435/161; 435/252.3, 435/252.33, 435/320.1

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File: USPT

Oct 10, 2000

US-PAT-NO: 6130076

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6130076 A

TITLE: Ethanol production using a soy hydrolysate-based medium or a yeast autolysate-based medium

DATE-ISSUED: October 10, 2000

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Ingram; Lonnie O.	Gainesville	FL		

US-CL-CURRENT: 435/161

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☐ 19. Document ID: US 6107093 A

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File: USPT

Aug 22, 2000

US-PAT-NO: 6107093

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6107093 A

TITLE: Recombinant cells that highly express chromosomally-integrated heterologous genes

DATE-ISSUED: August 22, 2000

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Ingram; Lonnie O.	Gainesville	FL		
Ohta; Kazuyoshi	Gainesville	FL		
Wood; Brent E.	Gainesville	FL		

US-CL-CURRENT: [435/440](#); [257/E21.317](#), [435/252.3](#), [435/252.33](#), [536/23.7](#), [536/24.1](#)

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☐ 20. Document ID: US 6102690 A

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File: USPT

Aug 15, 2000

US-PAT-NO: 6102690

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6102690 A

TITLE: Recombinant organisms capable of fermenting cellobiose

DATE-ISSUED: August 15, 2000

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Ingram; Lonnie O.	Gainesville	FL		
Lai; Xiaokuang	Gainesville	FL		
Moniruzzaman; Mohammed	Gainesville	FL		
York; Sean W.	Gainesville	FL		

US-CL-CURRENT: [431/161](#); [435/170](#), [435/189](#), [435/190](#), [435/194](#), [435/195](#), [435/252.3](#), [435/254.2](#), [435/320.1](#), [536/23.2](#)

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File: USPT

Aug 3, 1999

US-PAT-NO: 5932456

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5932456 A

TITLE: Production of ethanol and other fermentation products from biomass

DATE-ISSUED: August 3, 1999

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Van Draanen; Arlen	Bellevue	WA		
Mello; Steven	Bedford	NH		

US-CL-CURRENT: [435/144](#); [435/157](#); [435/160](#); [435/161](#); [435/163](#); [435/165](#); [435/171](#); [435/267](#)

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File: USPT

Jun 29, 1999

US-PAT-NO: 5916787

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5916787 A

TITLE: Ethanol production in gram-positive microbes

DATE-ISSUED: June 29, 1999

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Ingram; Lonnie O'Neal	Gainesville	FL		
Barbosa-Alleyne; Maria D. F.	Gainesville	FL		

US-CL-CURRENT: [435/161](#); [257/E21.317](#); [435/162](#); [435/163](#); [435/165](#); [435/252.31](#); [435/320.1](#)

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File: USPT

Oct 13, 1998

US-PAT-NO: 5821093

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5821093 A

TITLE: Recombinant cells that highly express chromosomally-integrated heterologous
genes

DATE-ISSUED: October 13, 1998

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Ingram; Lonnie O.	Gainesville	FL		
Ohta; Kazuyoshi	Gainesville	FL		
Wood; Brent E.	Gainesville	FL		

US-CL-CURRENT: 435/161; 257/E21.317, 435/163, 435/252.3, 435/252.33, 536/23.2,
536/23.7, 536/24.1

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File: USPT

Oct 14, 1997

US-PAT-NO: 5677154

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5677154 A

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TITLE: Production of ethanol from biomass

DATE-ISSUED: October 14, 1997

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Van Draanen; Arlen	Haverhill	MA		
Mello; Steven	Bedford	NH		

US-CL-CURRENT: 435/163; 435/161, 435/165, 435/171, 435/267

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☐ 25. Document ID: US 5607672 A

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File: USPT

Mar 4, 1997

US-PAT-NO: 5607672

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5607672 A

TITLE: Replacement therapy for dental caries

DATE-ISSUED: March 4, 1997

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Hillman; Jeffrey D.	Gainesville	FL		

US-CL-CURRENT: 424/50; 424/93.44, 435/252.3

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File: USPT

Sep 10, 1996

US-PAT-NO: 5554520

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5554520 A

TITLE: Ethanol production by recombinant hosts

DATE-ISSUED: September 10, 1996

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Fowler; David E.	Gainesville	FL		
Horton; Philip G.	Gainesville	FL		
Ben-Bassat; Arie	Gainesville	FL		

US-CL-CURRENT: 435/165; 257/E21.317, 435/162

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Jan 30, 1996

US-PAT-NO: 5487989

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5487989 A

TITLE: Ethanol production by recombinant hosts

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TITLE: Methods and compositions for producing metabolic products for algae

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CLAIMS:

What is claimed is:

1. A method for producing ethanol from cellulose-containing biomass, comprising the steps of:

A. contacting, in a first reaction vessel, said biomass with a polysaccharase such that cellulose in said biomass is broken down into simpler oligosaccharides and/or monosaccharides,

wherein said contacting is carried out at a temperature of from about 40.degree. C. to about 60.degree. C. and a pH of from about 4.5 to about 5.0;

B. producing from said first reaction vessel a sugar solution comprising said simpler oligosaccharides and/or monosaccharides;

C. introducing said sugar solution into a fermentor which comprises gram-negative enteric recombinant host microorganisms capable of fermenting said simpler oligosaccharides and/or monosaccharides into ethanol; and

D. fermenting said simpler oligosaccharides and/or monosaccharides into ethanol at a temperature of from about 30.degree. C. to about 35.degree. C. and a pH of about 6.0,

wherein said microorganism is capable of fermenting monosaccharides into ethanol, and comprises a recombinant host, other than *Escherichia coli*, comprising a first heterologous DNA coding for alcohol dehydrogenase and pyruvate decarboxylase, wherein said heterologous DNA is from *Zymomonas mobilis* and wherein said host expresses said heterologous DNA at a sufficient functional level so as to facilitate the production of ethanol as the primary fermentation product by said host,

wherein said host also produces a polysaccharase, and said host further comprises a second heterologous DNA segment, the expression product of which is said polysaccharase.

2. A method according to claim 1, wherein a first stream from said fermentor is withdrawn and used to cool the sugar solution produced in Step B.

3. A method according to claim 2, wherein said first stream is introduced into said first vessel after cooling said sugar solution produced in Step B.

4. A method according to claim 1, wherein the sugar solution produced in Step B is passed through an ultrafiltration unit having an upper molecular weight cut-off ultrafiltration membrane to obtain an ultrafiltration product solution and a second solution,

said ultrafiltration product solution comprising predominantly molecules having a molecular weight below the molecular weight cut-off of said ultrafiltration membrane, said product solution comprising at least some of said oligosaccharides and/or monosaccharides obtained from Step B, and

said second solution comprising predominantly molecules having a molecular weight above the molecular weight cut-off of said ultrafiltration membrane.

5. A method according to claim 4, wherein said product solution predominantly comprises molecules having a molecular weight of less than about 25,000.

6. A method according to claim 4, wherein the ultrafiltration product solution is subjected to reverse osmosis to obtain a first stream comprising predominantly water and a second stream comprising at least some of the oligosaccharides and/or monosaccharides.

7. A method according to claim 6, wherein said stream comprising predominantly water is recycled to the first reaction vessel.

8. A method according to claim 1, wherein the sugar solution produced in Step B is subjected to reverse osmosis to obtain a first stream comprising predominantly water and a second stream comprising at least some of the oligosaccharides and/or monosaccharides.

9. A method according to claim 8, wherein said stream comprising predominantly water is recycled to the first reaction vessel.

10. A method according to claim 1, wherein the contacting in said first reaction vessel is carried out at a temperature of from about 50.degree. C. to about 60.degree. C.

11. A method according to claim 1, wherein the contacting in said first reaction vessel is carried out at a temperature of from about 50.degree. C. to about 55.degree. C.

12. A method according to claim 1, wherein enzymes which break down cellulose into simpler oligosaccharides and/or monosaccharides are added to said fermentor.

13. The method of claim 1, wherein said host is selected from the group consisting of Erwinia, Klebsiella and Xanthomonas.

14. The method of claim 13, wherein said host is selected from the group consisting of Erwinia and Klebsiella.

15. The method of claim 14, wherein said host is Klebsiella oxytoca M5A1(pLOI555), ATCC 68564, deposited Mar. 14, 1991.

16. The method of claim 1, wherein said host has been transformed with a plasmid comprising genes coding for alcohol dehydrogenase and pyruvate decarboxylase, wherein said host expresses said genes to produce alcohol dehydrogenase and pyruvate decarboxylase at a sufficient functional level to facilitate the production of ethanol as the primary fermentation product by said host.

17. The method of claim 16, wherein said plasmid comprises Zymomonas mobilis

genes coding for alcohol dehydrogenase and pyruvate decarboxylase.

18. The method of claim 16, wherein said plasmid further comprises a lac promoter which directs the expression of said genes coding for alcohol dehydrogenase and pyruvate decarboxylase.

19. The method of claim 16, wherein said plasmid has been designated pLOI555.

20. The method of claim 1, wherein said polysaccharase is a cellulolytic enzyme.

21. The method of claim 20, wherein said polysaccharase is selected from the group consisting of an endoglucanase, cellobiohydrolase, .beta.-glucosidase, and .beta.-glucanase.

22. The method of claim 21, wherein polysaccharase is an expression product of a celD gene.

23. The method of claim 22, wherein said celD gene is derived from Clostridium thermocellum.

24. The method of claim 21, wherein said polysaccharase is at least partially secreted by said host.

25. The method of claim 21, wherein said polysaccharase is accumulated in said host.

26. A method for producing ethanol from cellulose-containing biomass, comprising the steps of:

A. contacting, in a first reaction vessel, said biomass with a polysaccharase such that oligosaccharide in said biomass is broken down into simpler oligosaccharides and/or monosaccharides,

wherein said contacting is carried out at a temperature of from about 40.degree. C. to about 60.degree. C. and a pH of from about 4.5 to about 5.0;

B. producing from said first reaction vessel a sugar solution comprising said simpler oligosaccharides and/or monosacchrides;

C. introducing said sugar solution into a fermentor which comprises gram-negative enteric recombinant host microorganisms capable of fermenting said simpler oligosaccharides and/or monosaccharides into ethanol; and

D. fermenting said simpler oligosaccharides and/or monosaccharides into ethanol at a temperature of from about 30.degree. C. to about 35.degree. C. and a pH of about 6.0,

wherein said microorganism is capable of fermenting both monosaccharides and oligosaccharides into ethanol, and said microorganism further comprises a recombinant host comprising first heterologous DNA from Zymomonas mobilis coding for alcohol dehydrogenase and pyruvate decarboxylase, respectively, wherein said host

(A) further comprises genes coding for proteins which enable said host to transport and metabolize an oligosaccharide, and

(B) expresses said genes and said heterologous DNA at a level such that ethanol is produced as the primary fermentation product by said host from the metabolism of said oligosaccharide, and

wherein said recombinant host also produces a polysaccharase, and said host further comprises a second heterologous DNA segment, the expression product of which is said polysaccharase.

27. The method of claim 26, wherein said recombinant host is selected from the

group consisting of Erwinia and Klebsiella.

28. The method of claim 27, wherein said recombinant host is Klebsiella oxytoca M5A1(pLOI555), ATCC 68564, deposited Mar. 14, 1991.

29. The method of claim 26, wherein said oligosaccharide is selected from the group consisting of dimers and trimers.

30. The method of claim 26, wherein said polysaccharase is a cellulolytic enzyme.

31. The method of claim 30, wherein said polysaccharase comprises the expression product of a cellulase gene of Cellulomonas fimi, and said host secretes at least some of said polysaccharase.

32. The method of claim 26, wherein said polysaccharase is selected from the group consisting of an endoglucanase, cellobiohydrolase, .beta.-glucosidase, .beta.-glucanase and hemicellulase, arabinosidase.

33. The method of claim 32, wherein said polysaccharase is an expression product of a celD gene.

34. The method of claim 33, wherein said celD gene is derived from Clostridium thermocellum.

35. The method of claim 26, wherein said host further comprises an additional heterologous DNA segment, the expression product of which is a protein involved in the transport of mono- and/or oligosaccharides into the recombinant host.

36. The method of claim 26, wherein said polysaccharase is at least partially secreted by said host.

37. The method of claim 26, wherein said polysaccharase is accumulated in said host.

38. The method of claim 37, wherein said host further comprises an additional heterologous DNA segment, the expression product of which is an additional polysaccharase that is at least partially secreted by said host.

39. The method of claim 38, wherein said additional polysaccharase comprises the expression product of a cellulase gene of Cellulomonas fimi.

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 TITLE: Genetic improvement of Escherichia coli for **ethanol**
production: chromosomal integration of
Zymomonas mobilis genes encoding
pyruvate decarboxylase and
alcohol dehydrogenase II.
 AUTHOR: Ohta K; Beall D S; Mejia J P; Shanmugam K T; Ingram L O
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Microbiology and Cell Science, University of
 Florida, Gainesville 32611.
 CONTRACT NUMBER: GM37403 (NIGMS)
 SOURCE: APPLIED AND ENVIRONMENTAL MICROBIOLOGY, (1991 Apr)
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AB **Zymomonas mobilis** genes for **pyruvate decarboxylase** (pdc) and **alcohol dehydrogenase** II (adhB) were integrated into the *Escherichia coli* chromosome within or near the pyruvate formate-lyase gene (pfl). Integration improved the stability of the *Z. mobilis* genes in *E. coli*, but further selection was required to increase expression. Spontaneous mutants were selected for resistance to high level of chloramphenicol that also expressed high levels of the *Z. mobilis* genes. Analogous mutants were selected for increased expression of **alcohol dehydrogenase** on aldehyde indicator plates. These mutants were functionally equivalent to the previous plasmid-based strains for the fermentation of xylose and glucose to ethanol. Ethanol concentrations of 54.4 and 41.6 g/liter were obtained from 10% glucose and 8% xylose, respectively. The efficiency of conversion exceeded theoretical limits (0.51 g of ethanol/g of sugar) on the basis of added sugars because of the additional production of ethanol from the catabolism of complex nutrients. Further mutations were introduced to inactivate succinate production (frd) and to block homologous recombination (recA).

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1995:992753 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 124:28129

TITLE: **Ethanol production with recombinant Gram-positive microbes expressing exogenous pyruvate decarboxylase and alcohol dehydrogenase genes**

INVENTOR(S): Ingram, Lonnie O'Neal; Barbosa-Alleyne, Maria de F. S.

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): University of Florida, USA

SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 33 pp.

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			US 1992-846344	A2 19920306
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AB The subject invention concerns the transformation of Gram-pos. bacteria with heterologous genes which confer upon these microbes the ability to produce ethanol as a ferment. product. Specifically exemplified is the transformation of bacteria with genes, obtainable from **Zymomonas mobilis**, which encode **pyruvate decarboxylase** and alc. dehydrogenase. A recombinant *Bacillus subtilis* expressing *Z. mobilis* pdc and adhB genes was created.

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 ACCESSION NUMBER: 1994:433306 CAPLUS
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 121:33306
 TITLE: Processes for **ethanol production**
 INVENTOR(S): Fowler, David E.; Horton, Philip G.; Ben-Bassat, Arie
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Bioenergy International, l.c., USA
 SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 172 pp.
 CODEN: PIXXD2
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 WO 1993-US8558 W 19930917

AB Novel plasmids comprising genes which code for alc. dehydrogenase and **pyruvate decarboxylase** are described. Also described are recombinant hosts which have been transformed with genes coding for alc. dehydrogenase and **pyruvate decarboxylase**. By virtue of their transformation with these genes, the recombinant hosts are capable of producing significant amts. of ethanol as a fermn. product. Also disclosed are methods for increasing the growth of recombinant hosts and methods for reducing the accumulation of undesirable metabolic products in the growth medium of these hosts. Also disclosed are recombinant hosts capable of producing significant amts. of ethanol as a fermn. product of oligosaccharides and plasmids comprising genes encoding polysaccharides, in addn. to the genes described above which code for alc. dehydrogenase and **pyruvate decarboxylase**. Further, methods are described for producing ethanol from oligomeric feedstock using the recombinant hosts described above. Also provided is a method for enhancing the prodn. of functional proteins in a recombinant host comprising overexpressing an **adhB gene** in the host. Further provided are process designs for fermenting oligosaccharide-contg. biomass to ethanol.

L5 ANSWER 4 OF 29 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS on STN
 ACCESSION NUMBER: 1992:649986 CAPLUS
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 TITLE: **Ethanol production by by bacteria**
 carrying foreign genes for **alcohol dehydrogenase and pyruvate decarboxylase**
 INVENTOR(S): Ingram, Lonnie O.; Beall, David S.; Burchhardt, Gerhard F. H.; Guimaraes, Walter V.; Ohta, Kazuyoshi; Wood, Brent E.; Shanmugam, Keelnatham T.; Fowler, David A.; Ben-Bassat, Arie
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): University of Florida, USA; Bioenergy International,

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AB	Bacterial hosts, excluding <i>Escherichia coli</i> , expressing heterologous genes for alc. dehydrogenase (I) and pyruvate decarboxylase (II) are used for manuf. of EtOH. II is used to prevent accumulation of acid metabolites. Plasmids, e.g. pLOI555 carrying genes for I and II of <i>Zymomonas mobilis</i> driven by the lac promoter, are provided for prepn. of the host. The method is further improved by transforming the host with genes for proteins that facilitate transport and metab. of oligosaccharides, e.g., of C5-6 sugars, which host is, preferably, also expressing a heterologous gene for a polysaccharase such as a cellulolytic enzyme, a xylanolytic enzyme, or a starch-degrading enzyme. These hosts also preferably express heterologous genes for polysaccharide- degrading enzymes (e.g. those degrading cellulose, xylans, or starch). A cost-effective fermn. process for manufg. EtOH from oligosaccharide feedstocks using a single, genetically engineered microorganism is also disclosed. An ethanologenic strain <i>Klebsiella oxytoca</i> M5A1(pLOI555) was prepd. and was further transformed with plasmid pLOI2003 encoding xylanase (gene xynZ) and xylosidase (gene xylB) of <i>Clostridium thermocellum</i> to obtain a transformant capable of converting xylan to EtOH.			

L5 ANSWER 5 OF 29 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS on STN
 ACCESSION NUMBER: 1992:19704 CAPLUS
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 116:19704
 TITLE: Metabolic engineering of *Klebsiella oxytoca* M5A1 for **ethanol production** from xylose and glucose
 AUTHOR(S): Ohta, Kazuyoshi; Beall, D. S.; Mejia, J. P.; Shanmugam, K. T.; Ingram, L. O.
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Dep. Microbiol. Cell Sci., Univ. Florida, Gainesville, FL, 32611-0100, USA
 SOURCE: Applied and Environmental Microbiology (1991), 57(10), 2810-15

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AB The efficient diversion of pyruvate from normal fermentative pathways to ethanol prodn. in *K. oxytoca* M5A1 requires the expression of *Zymomonas mobilis* genes encoding both **pyruvate decarboxylase** and alc. dehydrogenase. Final ethanol concns. obtained with the best recombinant, strain M5A1 (pLOI555), were in excess of 40 g/L with an efficiency of 0.48 g of ethanol (xylose) and 0.50 g of ethanol (glucose) per g of sugar, as compared with a theor. max. of 0.51 g ethanol/g sugar. The maximal volumetric productivity per h for both sugars was 2.0 g/L. This volumetric productivity with xylose is almost twice that previously obtained with ethanologenic *Escherichia coli*. Succinate was also produced as a minor product during fermm.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1991:534238 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 115:134238

TITLE: **Ethanol production** using recombinant mutant *Escherichia coli*

INVENTOR(S): Ingram, Lonnie O.; Clark, David P.

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): University of Florida, USA

SOURCE: U.S., 5 pp. Cont.-in-part of U.S. Ser. No. 239,099, abandoned.

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AB *Escherichia coli* with mutations which result in alc. dehydrogenase hyperprodn. are transformed with the *Zymomonas mobilis* **pyruvate decarboxylase gene**. These microorganisms can be used to manuf. EtOH. The recombinant mutants grew to higher cell d. than did the parent strain. The increase in d. and the extent to which EtOH accumulated in the medium correlated with the level of expression of the decarboxylase.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1990:422259 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 113:22259

TITLE: **Ethanol production** by genetically engineered *Escherichia coli* strains

INVENTOR(S): Ingram, Lonnie O.; Conway, Tyrrell; Alterthum, Flavio

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): University of Florida, USA

SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 37 pp.

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AB **DNA** fragments comprising alc. dehydrogenase and **pyruvate decarboxylase** (enzymes of the ethanologenic pathway) genes were isolated from *Zymomonas mobilis* and cloned in *E. coli* cells using different plasmids as expression vehicles. Both enzymes were expressed at high level and this resulted in elevated EtOH productivity. Using 12% glucose, 12% lactose, and 8% xylose as substrates, the EtOH yields in *E. coli* were 58, 52, and 42 g/L, resp., or 95, 80, and 102%, resp., of theor.

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TITLE: Use of the tac promoter and lacI-q for the controlled expression of *Zymomonas mobilis* fermentative genes in *Escherichia coli* and *Zymomonas mobilis*.

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AB The *Zymomonas mobilis* genes encoding alcohol dehydrogenase I (adhA), alcohol dehydrogenase II (adhB), and **pyruvate decarboxylase** (pdc) were overexpressed in *Escherichia coli* and *Z. mobilis* by using a broad-host-range vector containing the tac promoter and the lacI-q repressor gene. Maximal IPTG (isopropyl-beta-D-thiogalactopyranoside) induction of these plasmid-borne genes in *Z. mobilis* resulted in a 35-fold increase in alcohol dehydrogenase I activity, a 16.7-fold increase in alcohol dehydrogenase II activity, and a 6.3-fold increase in **pyruvate decarboxylase** activity. Small changes in the activities of these enzymes did not affect glycolytic flux in cells which are at maximal metabolic activity, indicating that flux under these conditions is controlled at some other point in metabolism. Expression of adhA, adhB, or pdc at high specific activities (above 8 IU/mg of cell protein) resulted in a decrease in glycolytic flux (negative flux control coefficients), which was most pronounced for pyruvate decarboxylate. Growth rate and flux are imperfectly coupled in this organism. Neither a twofold increase in flux nor a 50% decline from maximal flux caused any immediate change in growth rate. Thus, the rates of biosynthesis and growth in this organism are not limited by energy generation in rich medium.

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TITLE: ALCOHOL PRODUCTION FROM GLUCOSE AND XYLOSE USING ESCHERICHIA-COLI CONTAINING **ZYMOMONAS-MOBILIS** GENES.

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SOURCE: APPL MICROBIOL BIOTECHNOL, (1988) 29 (2-3), 162-167.

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AB An Escherichia coli strain containing a recombinant plasmid encoding the **pyruvate decarboxylase** and **alcohol dehydrogenase** genes from **Zymomonas mobilis** metabolized glucose and xylose to near theoretical yields of ethanol. Enzyme activity measurements indicate high expression levels of both plasmid-encoded Zymomonas proteins in the recombinant E. coli. The expression in E. coli is under the control of a promoter in the Zymomonas sequence upstream of the **pyruvate decarboxylase** gene. The maximum ethanol level, using 4% glucose as substrate, was 1.8% (w/v) in anaerobic conditions. In aerobic conditions the natural repression of E. coli alcohol dehydrogenase results in less **ethanol production** from clones expressing only Zymomonas **pyruvate decarboxylase**.

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TITLE: EXPRESSION OF DIFFERENT LEVELS OF ETHANOLOGENIC ENZYMES FROM **ZYMOMONAS-MOBILIS** IN RECOMBINANT STRAINS OF ESCHERICHIA-COLI.
AUTHOR(S): INGRAM L O; CONWAY T
CORPORATE SOURCE: DEP. MICROBIOLOGY AND CELL SCIENCE, UNIVERSITY FLORIDA, GAINESVILLE, FLA. 32611.
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AB The expression of **Zymomonas mobilis** genes encoding **pyruvate decarboxylase** and **alcohol dehydrogenase** II in Escherichia coli converted this organism from the production of organic acids to the production of ethanol. Ethanol was produced during both anaerobic and aerobic growth. The extent to which these ethanologenic enzymes were expressed correlated with the extent of **ethanol production**. The replacement of organic acids with ethanol as a metabolic product during aerobic and anaerobic growth resulted in dramatic increases in final cell density, indicating that these acids (and the associated decline in pH) are more damaging than the production of ethanol. Of the plasmids examined, the best plasmid for growth and **ethanol production** expressed **pyruvate decarboxylase** and **alcohol dehydrogenase** II at levels of 6.5 and 2.5 IU/mg of total cell protein, respectively.

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AUTHOR: Ingram L O; Conway T; Clark D P; Sewell G W; Preston J F
CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Microbiology and Cell Science, University of Florida, Gainesville 32611.
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AB The genes encoding essential enzymes of the fermentative pathway for ethanol production in *Zymomonas mobilis*, an obligately ethanologenic bacterium, were inserted into *Escherichia coli* under the control of a common promoter. Alcohol dehydrogenase II and pyruvate decarboxylase from *Z. mobilis* were expressed at high levels in *E. coli*, resulting in increased cell growth and the production of ethanol as the principal fermentation product from glucose. These results demonstrate that it is possible to change the fermentation products of an organism, such as *E. coli*, by the addition of genes encoding appropriate enzymes which form an alternative system for the regeneration of NAD+.

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